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BIG DEMAND FOR MONETT BERRIES

More Buyers than Berries. Will Sell At Auction

The cold weather has prevented the berries from ripening as they usually do and it is impossible to supply the demand for Monett's famous berries. The berries are in fine condition and are growing nicely.

Monday the Monett Fruit Shippers Association shipped three car loads at \$2.30. The Monett Berry Growers Union shipped two car loads and held half a car over.

Today it is impossible to supply the demand and the berries will be sold at auction this evening at 7 o'clock at the office of the Ozark Fruit Growers Association and they expect to get at least \$2.50 a crate.

WORTHY MATRONS AND PATRONS CLUB

The Worthy Matrons and Patrons Club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sig Solomon, Monday night, the hostesses being Mesdames Solomon, Dio Stone, A. L. Jenks and W. K. Martin.

The evening was spent in playing Rook. A two course lunch was served. The rooms were decorated in Dorothy Perkins roses and wild daisies.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mesdames R. M. Callaway, J. L. Hobbs, E. S. Wilson, George Feist, S. A. Chapel, C. W. Johnston, C. C. Mills, James Wells, H. P. S. Burke, O. W. Bruton, H. I. Bradford, W. R. Breece, W. H. Mills, Mrs. John Pollock, Miss Nellie Mills, Mrs. John Lopp, Mrs. Flora Kahn, Miss Merrah Kahn and Mrs. Clark Kellogg.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Saturday the city council awarded the contract for macadamizing Fifth street to J. B. Burg, for 40 cents per square yard.

The sidewalk contract on Seventh street was awarded to M. E. Gilloiz at 44 cents per running foot.

All bids for curb and gutter on Seventh street were rejected.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

J. W. Henson Mt. Vernon
Belva Stahl Mt. Vernon
Chas. L. Stockton Aurora
Lydia M. Haworth Aurora
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Ruth Loffgren Aurora
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Miss Buns Ruggles, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Chas. Turner of Springfield, was in town on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Gustin, of Springfield, is the guest of Mrs. Walter Draper.

A. W. Hanley, who had been in Monett on business for several days, left Monday night for Louisville, Ky.

Miss Elizabeth Laundoll, Frank and Louis Laundoll and Frank Miller of Peirce City spent Sunday at the home of August Birkenbach.

Harold and Misses Katherin and Mildred Burns, of Ft. Smith, Ark., visited Sunday with friends in Monett. Miss Raphael Heyburn accompanied them home for a short visit.

Mrs. Myrtle Rowden, who is taking a trained nurse's course at the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium at St. Louis, is spending a two weeks' vacation with relatives and friends in Monett.

PROCLAMATION FOR GOOD ROADS DAYS

June 15 and 16 Set Apart By Governor Major As Good Roads Days

Whereas, the public highways of the State constitute the first link in the chain of transportation; and, whereas, no other internal improvement means so much to the State, the nation and the people; and, whereas, Missouri is and has been leading the way upon this important question, and has more good roads spirit than any state in the Union; and, whereas, the two "Good Roads Days" designated in 1913 and 1914 were of great benefit not only to the commonwealth of Missouri, but to the entire country, creating a universal sentiment for the improvement of highways; and, whereas, a large number of the states, observing the benefits we derived from the "Good Roads Days" in Missouri, have followed the example; and, whereas, every citizen and business is directly interested in road construction and betterments:

Now, therefore, I, Elliott W. Major, Governor of the State of Missouri, do hereby set apart Tuesday and Wednesday, June 15th and 16th, A. D. 1915, for road work in the State of Missouri, and designate these two days as "Good Roads Days," and declare same to be holidays, and request that all other business be suspended as far as possible, and that every able bodied citizen labor upon the public highways of the State during these two days, and that the work done be such as will make a lasting and permanent improvement, such as road grading, culvert building, ditching, graveling, dragging, etc.

I respectfully call upon the County Court of each County to issue a proclamation such as was issued last year, calling upon the people to come out with proper teams, equipments and materials and labor and see to it that the county is well organized, so work will be given and benefits received in every neighborhood, and the same conducted in a systematic and business-like way, to the end that every section of the commonwealth may be the recipient of actual road betterments.

Again, I call upon the city and country press to assist in organizing the work and in bringing to the roads another army of labor volunteers, such as came forth last year. The press contributed, in a great measure, to the success of the work, and the State is indebted to it for the enthusiastic and earnest support given and as Chief Executive, I desire to recognize the aid given by both the city and country press in this official proclamation. I also call upon the road overseers, federated and all other road organizations, automobile clubs and associations and all commercial and booster clubs to aid the State and the Highway Department to again carry forward to a great success, the "Good Roads Days."

I request the women of Missouri to again prepare dinners and see that the laborers are served upon the highways. They contributed much to the success of the work last year, realizing the fact that better roads would bring a better community life and more pleasure to the women who have cast their fortunes in the homes of rural Missouri.

Let every citizen be earnest, enthusiastic and systematic in going about the preparation for work upon these days. No matter whether the work be done upon high-grade roads or upon dirt roads, let it be a permanent improvement. The great majority of the work will be done upon the dirt roads, which, after all, are the real highways of commerce. This is true because the dirt roads represent the first leg of the journey over which moves the traffic of the state. The road enabling the producer to bring more products to the first markets of the country; the road that will save hundreds of thousands of dollars in

shrinkage in the delivery of live stock the road that will lessen that part of the cost of transportation which begins at the producer's door; the road, every tendency of which is to improve community life and make it better morally, civilly, and commercially.

Let us, therefore, labor upon the high-grade roads, and upon the improved and unimproved dirt roads, to the end that no material or energy be lost, and the benefits given to a single unit in highway traffic. Missouri is leading the way in this great internal improvement and upon which must rest, in the final analysis, the success of every business of the country. Good roads will bring better schools, better agriculture, better community life, better commerce and a better civilization.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri.

Done at the City of Jefferson, this 24th day of May, A. D. 1915.

ELLIOTT W. MAJOR,

Attest: Governor.
CORNELIUS ROACH,
Secretary of State.

DINNER PARTY

A dinner party in honor of Mrs. J. M. Russell's birthday was given at the Jones Hotel, Thursday night. The party consisted of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Knapp and son Harold, H. H. Koontz, Miss Sarah Huddle, of Paris, Tex., Paul and Miss Alma Russell.

DIED

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holland died Monday, May 31. Interment was made Tuesday morning in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. J. D. Williams, who has been in charge of the Cookinham millinery store at this place, left Monday for her home at Fayetteville, Ark. They have discontinued the store here and moved the goods to Fayetteville.

Among the Peirce City people who attended the dance at the Elks Club house, Tuesday night were Misses Leila and Jewel Moody, Louise Purdy, Messrs. Press Moody, Clifford Purdy and Jim Wright.

Claud Woolsey returned home, Friday night, from Fairfield, Iowa, where he is teacher in agriculture in the high school. He has been employed for next year at an increase of salary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Huffman, who had been visiting Mrs. Huffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bramer, have returned to their home at Springfield.

Wayne Martin returned Monday night to his home at Texarkana, after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wainwright, and other relatives.

All Woodmen of the World are urged to be present at their regular meeting, Wednesday night. There will be important business and refreshments.

Mrs. Pat Martin, daughter Miss Anna, and Miss Mary Meagher spent Sunday with Mrs. Ott Helweg, in Peirce City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane are visiting at Seneca, this week.

Mrs. J. B. O'Reilly, of Joplin, visited Monday with Mrs. Pat Martin.

Bythel Farmer and Rolla Ingram went to Nevada Tuesday morning after the Ingram car.

Mrs. B. F. Woodward, of Sarcoxie, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. D. Woods.

Miss Shirley Patterson has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Kansas and at Joplin.

Mrs. C. C. Mills with Misses Laura and Louise Rice went to Joplin Friday on business.

Mrs. J. W. Pruitt visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard, in the country, this week.

A. H. Cox and O. H. Hudson have purchased 1916 Overland \$750 cars of Lehnhard & Butler.

Mrs. B. G. Dorris, of Springfield and Mrs. Ira Hemphill, of McDowell, were in town, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. M. Higgins, of Columbus, Kan., is visiting her son, F. L. Higgins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown have returned to Neodesha, Kan., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh.

Mrs. Emma Hughes, who has been quite ill with nervous trouble, is better today.

Mrs. W. B. Green has gone to Kansas City to enter a hospital for a slight operation.

George Storck and W. K. Enoch have bought Ford touring cars of Lehnhard & Butler.

J. V. Nelson went to Viroqua, Wis., Monday night, to spend several weeks at his old home.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Clinton and children left Tuesday for their new home at Pratt, Kan.

Mrs. Roy Wicks, Mrs. Will Roberts and Mrs. Edgar Jones motored over from Peirce City, Monday.

Jesse Redman has returned to Denison, Tex., after a visit with friends in Monett.

Mrs. Clifford Sweet has returned to her home at St. Louis after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bramer.

Mrs. Brennan Attaway, Miss Ethel Davis and Kenton Tanler will leave Wednesday for Rogers, Ark., to visit their aunt, Mrs. A. M. Merrill.

Chas. King has returned to his home at Green Forest, Ark., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wainwright.

Mrs. Colbert and children have gone to Crane, where Mr. Colbert has been working for some time and where they will make their home.

F. B. Spilman will move the goods in the Toggery to Talpa, in a few days and run a grocery store in connection.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Burris entertained at dinner, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smedley, Mr. and Mrs. George Edgar, Miss Margaret Edgar and Mrs. S. C. Collier.

Rev. W. J. Cox returned to his home at Newtonia, Tuesday, after a visit with J. A. Hunter and family. His wife will remain here until Thursday when her mother will accompany her home.

The telephone men are having considerable difficulty in keeping the lines in repair. The recent windstorms have damaged the wires in every direction and the toll lines are in very bad condition.

Messrs. R. C. Reyburn and Joe Tucker with their families returned Thursday afternoon from a week's fishing on Spring river near Stotts City. They had good luck in fishing notwithstanding the rain.

Mrs. C. H. Ring and Mrs. J. D. Hawes returned home, Monday night from a visit at St. Louis. Mrs. Ring attended the Rebekah State Assembly at Cape Girardeau before going to St. Louis.

A tent meeting was commenced Tuesday night at Fairview Baptist church, eight miles down Flat Cree on the Springfield road. Revs. Ireland and Coones will have charge of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gulick visited relatives in Peirce City, Sunday.

John Eagan, of Springfield, visited friends in Monett, Monday.

Mrs. Musser and children are visiting relatives in Springfield.

Mrs. Pat Dawine and daughter Dorothy, visited in Springfield, Monday. Misses Zola Johnson and Edythe Hester spent Tuesday in Carthage.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brown, of Purdy, were in town, Friday evening.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carlin, of Purdy, Monday, May 31.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. White will leave Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Hoberg, at Humansville.

Attorneys D. H. Kemp, J. E. Sater and Thos. Talbert, of Cassville, went to Springfield, Saturday.

Misses Norine and Jessie Wilson returned home, Saturday morning, from a visit in Springfield.

Mrs. N. V. Allebach and son Franz, of Springfield, came down, Saturday morning, for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Blake Dirickson and son are here from Harlington, Tex., on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McKee.

F. B. Spilman has moved the Toggery stock to Talpa and will sell out the goods there in connection with a grocery stock.

Misses Edythe Hester, Hope Walker Zola Johnson, Ruth Roderick and Florence Rice walked to Peirce City, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Inman and daughter Louise, who visited Mrs. O. Barker over Sunday, went to Exeter, Tuesday, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Baker and daughter Anna Marguerite, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Perry Short.

Miss Sarah Huddle returned to her home at Paris, Tex., Friday morning after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Russell.

Jesse Redman and Miss Mary Birkenbach went to Peirce City, Thursday, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Paul Flehmer.

Mrs. Elmer Carney, who had been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston, returned to her home at Nevada, Monday. Her sister, Miss Agnes Johnston, went home with her. Frank Caldwell, who has been working in a Frisco office here, has been transferred to Sapulpa, Ok. Mr. Hines, of Springfield, takes his place here.

Mrs. James Mansfield and Mrs. Chas. Mansfield have returned from a visit to Charles at the St. Louis Frisco Hospital. The sick man is getting along nicely.

F. M. Follis, father of Albert Follis, formerly of Monett, was stricken with apoplexy at the home of his son, William Follis, near Miami, Ok., last week. He is over 70 years old and this is his first sickness.

Mrs. R. B. Gladden, of Purdy, visited Mrs. J. R. Andrews, Thursday. She had spent the winter in Oklahoma and was on her way home. She reported the arrival of a new son in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Earl Gladden at Kiefer, Ok., about six weeks ago.

Misses Hazel and Jewel Richardson went to Springfield, Wednesday, to visit their father, K. P. Richardson, at the Frisco hospital. Mr. Richardson is recovering from blood poisoning in his arm, caused by running a sliver in the member while at work in the Frisco yards here.

The Peirce City school board has elected the following teachers for the coming school year: Perry Carmichael, superintendent; Anderson Barlow, principal high school; Lillian Paxton, Vautres Pruitt, Ed West, Maude Kennedy, Cassie Wall, Florence Brashear, Flora Shryock, Rose Gillen and Martha Brown.

Horace Gages, of Kansas City, Kan., arrived, Friday morning, to begin work as manager of the Railway Ice Company's plant here. S. A. McLain, who has been so successful in the work here, has been transferred to Kansas City, Kan., and will leave for that place the middle of June.

Miss Ruth Jarrett, of Springfield, is visiting Monett friends this week.

Frank Caldwell, of Sapulpa, Ok., is visiting here.

Warren Davidson, of Joplin, visited here, Tuesday.

Miss Laura Bragassa, of Neosho, is visiting friends here.

Henry Grove, of Springfield, visited relatives here, Tuesday.

Mrs. Roy Johnson, of Siloam Springs, Ark., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Nordin.

Johnnie Boucher, of Purdy, was in town, Monday.

Miss Eunice Salzer has begun work as pianist at the Electric Theater.

Mrs. Ellen Meyer has gone to Tulsa, Ok., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Otto Karn.

Fred Lopp and Junior Westbay are enjoying a few days fishing at Stotts City.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnston left, Tuesday night for a visit at Kansas City and Nevada.

Mrs. W. P. Gustin, who has been visiting friends here, returned to Springfield, Tuesday.

J. M. Weldy was able to go home, Saturday. He had been in town since his injury a week ago.

Mrs. R. B. Gladden, of Purdy, visited here, Monday. She went from here to Peirce City for a visit.

Mrs. E. T. Jay and baby, of Springfield, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shaffer.

J. P. McClure, Frisco agent at Purdy, visited T. D. Pitts and family, Monday.

Mrs. G. W. Tingle was in Monett on business, Monday. She will leave Wednesday for her new home in Aurora.

Roy Watson has resigned his position at the Postoffice Book Store and has accepted a place with the Coleman Lumber Company.

Joe Dehanas, who came home from Kansas City, for Decoration Day, returned, Monday night. His sister, Miss Florio, went with him.

Misses Grace Whitlatch, Lucile Baity and Ruth Hobbs are attending the Epworth League convention at Humansville.

Mrs. George Edgar and Mrs. Harry Smedley will entertain at Auction Bridge, Saturday, for Mrs. S. C. Collier, of Chicago, who is their guest.

Happy Wilhelm, the fighting Dutchman, left Wednesday for Fayetteville, Ark., where he will engage in a bout with Frankie Mannailla.

J. E. Sater was attending to business matters at Greenfield, Tuesday.

Ernest Miller and Walter Paschal, of Verona, visited here, Monday.

Mrs. Chitwood and daughter Miss Elsie, and Miss Stella Tracey, all of Monett are visiting at the home of J. C. Mills for the week—Aurora World.

Jesse Dehanas, who has been visiting here, returned to Miami, Ok., Wednesday. Miss Rose Dehanas went with him.

The Times has received an invitation to the commencement exercises of the State University, sent us by Dan B. Meador, who this year completes the law course of the University. Mr. Meador is a Monett man and his many friends here are glad to learn of his successful completion of the course.

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